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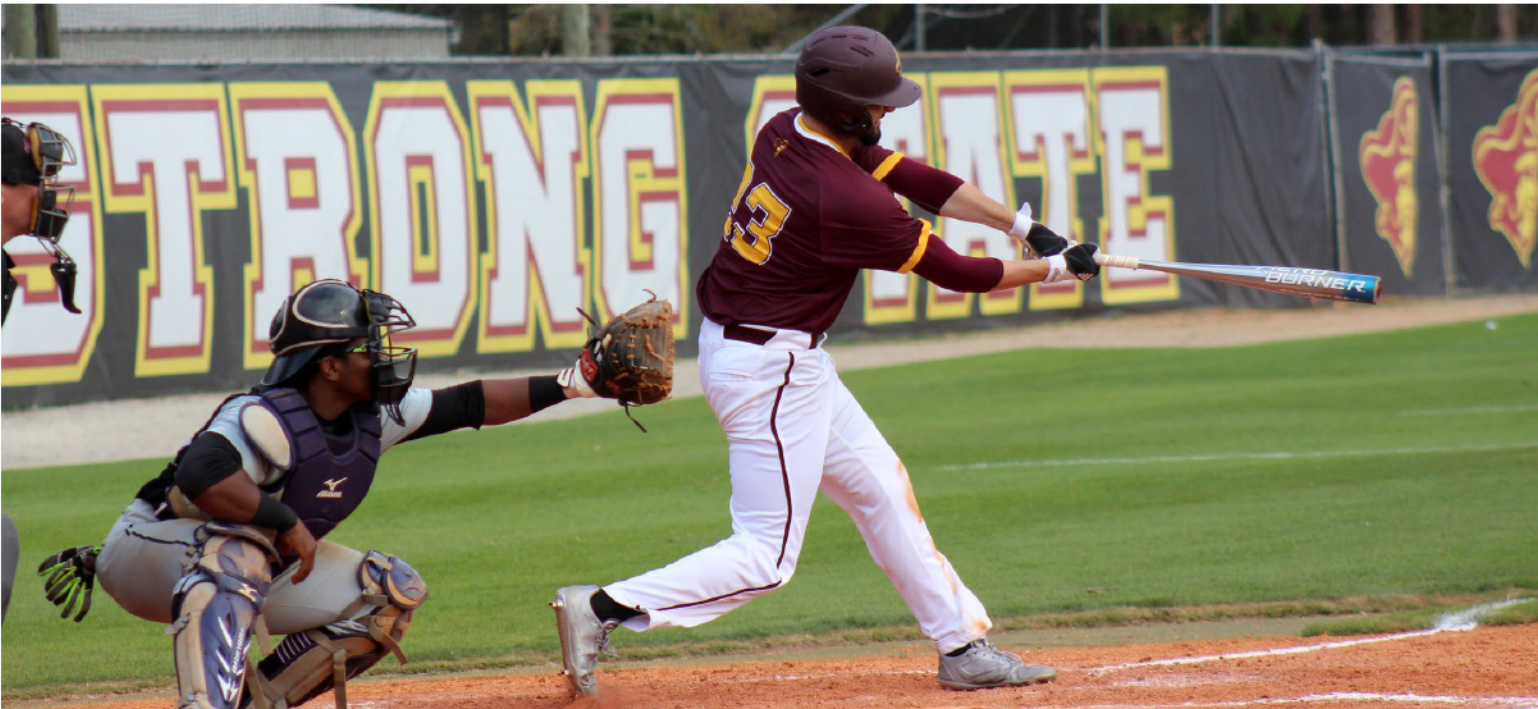
Box Score

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USC AIKEN

ARMSTRONG STATE

12	Final (10)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	H	E	9
	USC AIKEN (15-3, 6-0)	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	3	3	12	13	2	
	ARMSTRONG STATE (13-6, 0-3)	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	5	0	9	11	1	



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SAVANNAH, Ga. - No. 9-ranked USC Aiken scored three times in the top of the 10th inning to complete a wild 12-9 extra-inning Peach Belt Conference win over Armstrong State University on Sunday afternoon at Pirate Field.

The Pacers pick up their second PBC series sweep of the season,

BATTING

USC AIKEN

2B: Mitchell Price; Charles Padilla; Daulton Weeks 2

3B: Jose Bonilla

HR: none

improving to 15-3 overall and 6-0 in the league, while Armstrong State falls to 13-6 overall and 0-3 in the PBC. The Pirates return to action on Wednesday, visiting Morehouse for a 2:00 p.m. non-conference contest.

The Pirates trailed by five runs in the bottom of the ninth inning, 9-4, but drew five walks from reliever James Lynch - including bases-loaded walks by **Zack Goble** and **Caleb Slaughter** - to pull to within three runs, 9-6.

With the bases loaded, **Will Hodges** lifted a long drive to left field that looked ticketed for a game-winning grand slam home run, but USC Aiken's Mitchell Price was able to keep the ball in the park. The result was a game-tying three-run double that sent the game into the 10th inning.

Charles Padilla then broke the deadlock in the top of the 10th with an RBI double, and Daulton Weeks added a two-run single for the final 12-9 margin, completing the series sweep.

William Ard (3-0) picked up the win in relief for the Pacers, giving up three hits and no runs in 1 1/3 innings of work, striking out one. **Nick Andress** (0-1) took the loss for the Pirates as he was tagged for four hits and three runs in 1 1/3 innings of work, striking out one.

Zack Goble drove in three runs for the Pirates, two on a fourth-inning home run, while **Will Browning** finished the day 3-for-4 and Hodges drove in four runs on a pair of hits. Daulton Weeks led the Pacers at the plate with a 4-for-5 day with five RBIs, including a pair of doubles.



ARMSTRONG STATE
2B: Will Hodges; Timothy Gray
3B: none
HR: Zack Goble

FULL STATS



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